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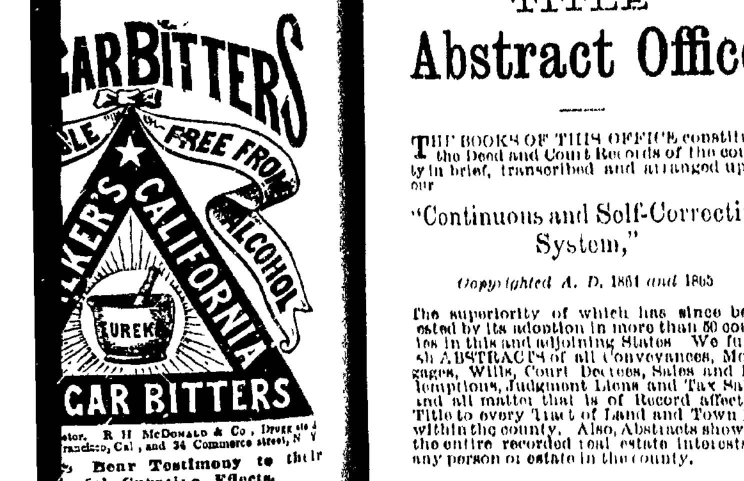

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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FOR SALE—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 4 rooms, pantry, cellar; yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

A FARM of 103 acres for sale, situated 3 miles west of the city; 60 acres in cultivation, nearly all fenced with new rail fence a story and a half house, 16x32 feet; good well, &c. Price, $35 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE. 1121

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation; about 300 fruit trees in bearing; 2 miles of hedge, 4 years old; a one story frame house; good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

800 ACRES in Platt Co.; mostly prairie. Price, $28.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 16, 1872—d-tf.

FOR SALE
—BY—
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ON EASY TERMS,
30 Building Lots
In Durfee, Warren & Co's Addition,

Between Water Street and Broadway, North of Wait & Co's Addition to Decatur.

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Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:25 A. M. .... 5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
1:18 A. M. .... 3:40 P. M.
Freight Trains.
GOING NORTH.
8:05 A. M. ....
10.17 A. M. .... 2:26 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
8:50 A. M. .... 3:35 P. M.

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T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. n.
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:45 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

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Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1873, trains will leave Decatur for Paris and Mattoon as follows;

Express .... 10:00 a m
Accommodation .... 3:00 p m
Express—arrives at Paris .... 2:05 p m
Accom'n—arrives at Mattoon .... 6:40 "
Express—leaves Paris .... 6:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur .... 10:45 "
Accom'n—leaves Mattoon .... 7:15 a m
Arrives at Decatur .... 11:40 "

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Decatur, January 3, 1873-dtf.

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Shop in room formerly occupied by Wm. E. Bingham, No. 28 Merchant Street.

Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

COURTING UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

I made the acquaintance of a young lady once at a party, who was rather good-looking, and I, being rather susceptible, of course fell in love.

I accompanied the young lady home, but had a very polite invitation from the young lady's father to stay at home! But nothing daunted, I resolved to win Jane Ann at all hazards. If anything, I rather liked old D——'s objections, for that made the thing romantic, you know.

The next evening, knowing that Jane Ann would be at church, I borrowed a horse and carriage from a friend, and went there for the purpose of taking Jane Ann home after church was over.

I am afraid I did not pay much attention to the sermon on that evening; and I thought, at that time, it was the longest I had ever listened to. But as everything earthly has an end, so had that sermon; and I thought it the happiest moment of my life when I assisted Jane Ann into my carriage.

We, of course, took the longest road possible to Mr. D——'s; and it was in an opposite direction from my horse's home, and as he had not had his supper, he did not care much about going; but I at last got him under way, and then gave my attention to my companion, and commenced conversation which ran thus:

"Dear Janie, isn't this a beautiful—whoa, there! Where are you going to?"

The last was addressed to the horse, who had suddenly taken a notion to turn around.

"See how beautiful the moon—whoa, there! Where in the dickens are you going to?"

The horse was going square into the fence.

"Oh, Janie! I've long wished for this opportunity to—whoa, there! Confound that horse—I've long wished for this opportunity to tell you how much—come out of that you oat muncher. Where in the mischief are you going to?"

The horse was going into the fence again, but I straightened him and commenced again.

"I've long wanted to tell you, Janie, how much I love you—come out of that, you son-of-a-gun! What are you turning around for? And oh! Janie, if I thought you—where the deuce are you going? Whoa there!—loved me half as well as—confound that horse. Whoa, there!—I love you—come out of that—I'd be perfectly—confound that horse!—yes, Janie, I'd be perfectly—darn that horse! Whoa, there!"

It was too late. The horse turned square around, upsetting the carriage and breaking it all to smash, but fortunately not hurting Janie or I. I walked home with Janie, but never finished my speech.

The carriage cost me forty dollars to get it repaired, and haven't indulged in the luxury of falling in love since.—*Ex.*

THE BENEDICT'S TALE.—There resides in this city, says the Oakland, Cal., *Transcript*, a young man who has but lately taken upon himself the responsibilities of married life. Before his "hash was settled" he bore the reputation of being a *bon vivant* of the modern school, and could drain his glass as often and as deeply as the oldest habitue of the saloons. But when the change came he cast from him all traces of the serpent, shook the sawdust of the bar-room from his feet, and became a model husband. Old ladies admired the reformed one, and extolled his domestic virtues, and he walked the straight and narrow path with all the fidelity of the newly regenerated Christian. But alas! at length he fell.—One evening on his way to the "cottage" he met a few bachelor friends who were on their way to dinner, received an invitation to join, which in a moment of weakness he accepted, and, under the genial influences of old remembrances and chit-chat of single days, he raised the little finger too often, and when the hour of separation arrived he was as drunk as old Silenus himself. But still, he fondly hoped that with the assistance of his latch-key and the little intelligence that he retained to creep to bed without his young wife becoming aware of his fall. Accordingly he entered his chamber on tip-toe, and fortune seemed to favor him, for his wife was apparently in a heavy slumber. Cautiously he removed his clothing and was about to step into bed, triumphing in his skill, when the soft voice of his spouse remarked in a clear and wide-awake tone: "Charley, hadn't you better remove your hat, dear?" He wilted, and beheld in the mirror a gentleman in a night-gown clinging unsteadily to a bed-post with a "stove pipe" hat perched rakishly on one side of a flushed and wiry-looking head-piece. He has never tried to escape the matrimonial observation since.

A Princeton paper says. "Why is it that a young fellow and his girl can sit in the parlor until after midnight without making noise enough for the old folds to hear them through the partition, but can't sit in a public place five minutes without annoying the house with their coughing?"

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And every other article usually kept in a first-class retail store, which will be
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Decatur, Jan. 9, 1873—wtf.

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October 28 1872—d-tf.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb8'72

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store. East Main street. [feb.8-'71

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Straily's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

E. R ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store. No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

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C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No 2 north west corner of East Main and Watter streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

E. PARK. THOS LEE
PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Milliken's Bank. EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

James M. Irwin,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill. Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
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GOVERNMENT AUCTIONEERS. Terms reasonable. Office with Lee & Park, attorneys at law, Decatur, Ill. [jan 3-d6m

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr.1-dtf.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [11-dawtf

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Decatur, April 8, 1872—d-tf

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Two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf.

The Daily Republican.

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B. K. HAMSHER, J. R. MOSSER.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, March 10.

HIGH-TONED.

The "Georgia Minstrels," who are to give an entertainment at the Opera House to-night, have just been traveling through the aristocratic, blue-blooded State of Kentucky, where, in spite of the prejudice against their race, they found no difficulty in obtaining accommodations at the best hotels. Judge of their astonishment, therefore, upon their arrival in Decatur on Sunday morning, to learn that they could not gain admission to any of our hotels. They assert that their agent had made arrangements for them to stop at the St. Nicholas, but state that when they went there they were informed that they could not be entertained, for want of the necessary room. It may be that this is true, but the most natural inference is that they were denied accommodation because of their color. We presume that, strictly speaking, the landlord of a hotel has a perfect right to refuse a man meals and lodging, if he does not want to keep him, but in this age of the world, since color is no longer a crime in the eyes of the law, men with black skins are not generally denied the common decencies of life merely on that account. The colored men comprising the minstrel company referred to are all respectable in their appearance and deportment, and they naturally feel indignant when they consider that white gamblers, white pimps and white thieves are entertained at public houses, and no questions asked them, while they are ostracised merely on account of their complexions The old spirit, it seems, is not all eradicated yet

THE Treasurer of the United States has received from Judge Kelley, of Pennsylvania, through Judge Poland, a certified check for three hundred and twenty-nine dollars being the amount of dividend on Credit Mobilier stock which Ames swore he paid, but which Kelley testified he did not recieve. The money thus goes where it belongs—into the coffers of the government, which the Credit Mobilier was organized to defraud. The amount may perhaps be increased by future payments, as Judge Kelley, in his letter accompanying the check, directs Treasurer Spinner to apply to Oakes Ames for further dividends, etc.

THE election in New Hampshire occurs to-morrow Both parties are confident of success, and a full vote is anticipated.

MAROA ITEMS.

From the News.

Messrs. Gilbert & Jackson, of Chicago, propose opening dentistry rooms as soon as a suitable location can be secured

The Maroa Minstrels gave one of their entertainments to a full house last Tuesday evening.

Harrison Williams and Jasper Blue had a physical encounter on the street, Wednesday, over some difficulty about a house rented of Mr. Williams by Mr. Blue. Neither party was much injured by the physical "arguments" indulged in. The case was tried before Police Justice Crocker, and Mr. Williams was fined $3 and costs, also $5 for contempt of court.

We received a pleasant call on Thursday from Elder Chas. Roe, of Minonk, Ill., who is assisting Elder Beckman in conducting a series of meetings at the Ridge Chapel, a few miles west of town

The Maroa Cornet Band is now working up a "Salt River Gallop," which will be played cheap for the benefit of office seekers. Address, enclosing stamp, etc.

Prairie chickens caught the spring fever on Thursday morning and got on a "bum."

One of the beauties of the railroad freight rates, as now in use on the Illinois Central railroad, is that our merchants can have their goods shipped straight through from Chicago to Decatur, and then hire teams to haul them to Maroa, cheaper than they can get them put off right here at home. No wonder the people cry out against unjust railroad discriminations.

We understand that the prospect for winter wheat is good, the snows having protected it from the extreme cold

The money orders sent from the Maroa post office during the last week in February amounted to $600,11.

R. E. Andrews has been in Maroa ever since it was a small place and has always had a good trade.

We believe this town has some of the shrewdest and most enterprising men to be found in the country, and among them Capt. C. F. Emery stands in the front rank, as any one who knows him is well aware. His Banking House, as recently refitted, refurnished and enlarged, is probably the neatest and best arranged Bank in the county, Decatur not excepted. A neat walnut counter now extends entirely across the room, and is surmounted with three as handsome and spacious desks as any good-looking banker or clerk would wish to occupy. An opening between the desks affords ample room for customers in the transaction of their business, while an outside desk is prepared especially for customers accommodation, and well supplied with all kinds of writing material. The huge and magnificent Combination Lock Safe—one of Hall's best—has been safely placed on a new and solid foundation, and is about as safe a place for the deposit of money as ever defied a burglar's tools

In addition to Capt. Emery, our good-looking friend Mr. J. S. Sargent is on hand to transact business, and run things generally.

FARMERS' MEETING.

REGULAR MEETING.

DECATUR, March 8, 1873.

The Macon county Farmers' Association met at the Court-house at 10 a. m., Saturday.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved, and, on motion, adjourned until 1 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Committee on printing reported having had 100 copies of the constitution and by-laws printed at a cost of $3.50. Report adopted, order for amount allowed, and committee discharged.

On motion of Shaw Pease, the opinion of Crea & Ewing on the constitutionality of the late railroad law, as given to the farmers of Illinois, was read by Capt. McCartney.

Joshua Green moved that copies of constitution and by-laws be distributed by the Secretaries of the Township Associations.

The following is the report of the committee on County Agency, appointed at last meeting:

Your committee appointed to prepare a plan for a county agency, in the matter of the purchase and sale of implements, beg leave to report. We are of the opinion that the best way to accomplish the object aimed at is as follows:

1. Appoint some good, responsible man as the agent of the Macon county Farmers' Association, who has, or will furnish at his own proper expense, a building and all other conveniences for storing and handling implements, as well as the capital needed.

2. Secure and maintain the interests of the Association through and by means of a standing executive committee, who shall have power, and whose duty it shall be, conjointly with the agent, to fix each year the specific cash price (freight added) of all implements, the price to be no higher than will fairly compensate the agent for his labor and outlay.

3. The agent to be bound not to sell implements to any one but certified members of the Association, except at prices in advance of those stipulated at which members can obtain them.

4. All transactions under the proposed arrrangements to be strictly cash.

We think the foregoing is such, if properly carried out, as will enable farmers to procure implements at greatly reduced prices; it will make a fair paying business for the agent; it will subject the Association to no pecuniary liability, and while it will establish improved facilities for the purchase of implements, will yet leave each individual to complete the purchase with the agent.

Several men in Decatur—such as the Association certainly would approve—have signified their willingness to enter into an arrangement, such as we have outlined above.

In the opinion of your committee, there is one—and only one—objection to its immediate adoption, namely: For this year manufacturers have contracted to furnish implements, and are held by such contracts; consequently no one man can command the implements from all the different manufactories which would probably be called for. Another year, and always after, we are confident we can command the situation and control the whole implement business, so as to save to us annually many thousand dollars of hard earnings. This, however, can only be done by continuing our organization and taking hold of this business with a firm determination that not only this year, but next year, and forever in the future, we will hold it in our hands. In this, as in the maintenance of all rights worth having, eternal vigilance is the price it must pay.

JOSHUA GREEN,
W. D. HAMILTON,
L. R. MOSSE.

The report of the committee was, after considerable discussion, adopted.

Moved by D. W. Allen, that the written opinion of Messrs. Crea & Ewing given to the farmers, be published, with the amount of the fee for the same ($100).

Moved, that Secretaries of the Township Associations be requested to furnish the names of the members of their Associations, at the next meeting of the County Association.

The following resolution was offered and adopted by the Association:

Believing it to be for the interests of the farmers of Illinois that unity of action be secured throughout the State, therefore, be it

Resolved by this convention, That our Corresponding Secretary be, and is hereby, instructed to request the State Executive Committee to call a delegate convention at Springfield at an early day, for the purpose of securing uniformity of action throughout the State.

The following resolution was introduced by G. G. Harnsbarger, and adopted by the Association:

Resolved, That in pursuit of our interests we will ignore all political parties; that we will support no man for office, whether it be township, county or national, unless he unequivocally pledges himself to support only such men and measures as will best advance the interests of the farmers and other classes of laborers, and un compromisingly oppose all monopolies.

Resolved, That the prosperity of our State is clearly due to the universal respect shown by the people for its laws, and that when the executive is not in sympathy with the people it is his duty for the honor, welfare and prosperity of the State to resign.

Resolved, That the legislature, by its delay, has disregarded the rights of the people by not passing a law forbidding public officers and legislators accepting free passes on the railroads, and while it is our duty to pass a general censure, we will not forget the faithful few who have been laboring for the people's rights.

Shaw Pease moved that a standing committee be elected by the Association, to carry into effect the report of the committee on implements. Motion carried.

Committee—President, Vice President, and Corresponding Secretary.

The following resolution was introduced by Reed Spencer, and adopted by the Association

Resolved, That in the election of additional delegates from the Township Associations, or in case of any other change in the delegation from any township, the certificate signed by the President and Secretary of such Association, delivered to the Secretary of the County Association, shall be regarded as sufficient proof of their election, and shall entitle them to their seats in our organization, provided always, that the representation of such township is upon the basis indicated in our constitution.

Association adjourned

The people of Oregon demand that the Modocs shall surrender unconditionally.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Congressmen to get Back Pay, After All.

THE NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTION.

COLFAX AMONG HIS NEIGHBORS.

He Makes a Clear Statement of His Actions.

The Penitentiary Investigation.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, D. C, March 8.—Secretary Boutwell's friends are confident he will be elected Senator from Massachusetts. It is claimed that Mr. Boutwell's election will be achieved in joint convention on the third or fourth ballot. Dawes' friends here are at work, confident of at least securing Boutwell's defeat, which, to some of them, seems as important as electing Dawes. Gen. Butler will not go home until the election. He leaves here for New York to-night.

The New Hampshire vote, on Tuesday, will be light. The State will be Republican by a decided majority. There will certainly be a gain of one Congressman in the First District, electing Wm. B. Small in the place of Mr. Hiffard, Democrat.

An amusing contest in the Congressional salary matter has been threatening. First, Comptroller Taylor has been construing the law, of which he is made the absolute authority, in relation to the public disbursement of funds, and finds it capable of diverse interpretations, ambiguous, and, to the ordinary Congressional capacity, without any specific appropriation for the additional payment of members. Comptrollers possess more absolute power in the line of their duty than any other civil officers. Mr. Taylor has, however, relieved the anxiety felt, after having prayerfully considered it, like York did Pomeroy's expose, and he decides there is no legal bar to each man's pocketing the extra $5,000, so far as Congressional ability to restrict or abolish the Comptrollership may have had effect.

A report has been in circulation that the French Government would ask for the extradition of Gen. Fremont, on criminal charges preferred against him in Paris. Inquiries at the French Legation and Department of Justice show that no such action had yet been taken, so far as known or contemplated, and it is not probable our Government would consent to such extradition.

Clerk McPherson's roll is now contemplated as far as possible, and shows that the next house will have 292 members. Of these, four from Connecticut and three from New Hampshire, are not yet elected, and three in West Virginia are in dispute. The First District of Indiana is also in dispute, and two cases in Arkansas are without certificates. There will be one hundred and ninety Republicans and eighty-nine Democrats and Liberals in the House, which will embrace one hundred and seventy-two new members, a greater change than has occurred for years

SOUTH BEND, Ind, March 8.—Ex-Vice President Colfax arrived here this noon and was received by Col. Humphrey, chairman of the committee on arrangements, at LaPorte, who accompanied him here on the train. A large concourse of the citizens of South Bend and vicinity, with bands of music are in attendance at the depot, and will escort him to the court house, where a speech of welcome will be delivered by Hon. Wm. Miller, when Mr. Colfax will respond.

At the depot three cheers were given the ex-Vice President, who responded: "I will speak to you at the courthouse. My heart thanks you all." After the address by Mayor Miller, Mr. Colfax said: "My heart would be cold and callous indeed, as it is not, if it did not throb very quickly and happily at such a welcome home as this one, with which I am honored, and the gratitude for which it would take a lifetime to exhibit here. My character has been formed in your midst, you you know whether for a paltry sum of money, I could be induced to shipwreck it. If I had been a confessed and wicked criminal, I could not have been pursued with more malignity by a portion of the American press and their Washington correspondents, but conscious of my entire innocence of this cruel and wicked charge and confident that He who knoweth all things will in His own good time make that innocence manifest to all, I have stood unmoved amid this tempest storm of villification and injustice, willing to abide my time, for the complete vindication I know is so certain to come.

Mr. Colfax then entered into an exhaustive review of the testimony elicited by the Poland Credit Mobilier committee, declaring that he never saw the check payable to "S. C.," and never received a dollar of money from Oakes Ames.

Colfax closed by saying. Mind and heart and conscience all acquit me, of the unjust imputations to which I have been subjected. My record has never been stained with dishonor or falsification, and this extraordinary manifestation of unshaken confidence and unchangable regard by old friends who have known me from boyhood answers a thousand malicious attacks and thrills my heart with a gratitude I cannot express in words."

At the close of his speech, Col. Humphreys presented him with a letter with 1,500 signatures of his fellow-citizens attached, expressing the confidence of the signers in him.

CHICAGO, March 9.—President Grant authorizes the publication of the following letter to Mr. Colfax:

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, Mar. 9.

My Dear Mr. Colfax:—Allow me to say that I sympathize with you in the recent Congressional investigations; that I have watched them closely, and I am satisfied now as I have ever been of your integrity, patriotism and freedom from the charges imputed, as if I knew of my own knowledge of your innocence. Our official relations have been so pleasant, that I would like to keep up personal relations through life.

Affectionately yours,
(Signed) U. S. GRANT.

FROM ILLINOIS.

JOLIET, ILL., March 8.—Quite a number of witnesses and interested parties will leave here on Monday for Springfield, to attend the further investigation into the alleged penitentiary frauds. The evidence adduced here has had the effect to fully arouse public interest in the matter. The authorities admitted many of the graver charges. The charges unadmitted were not made as clear as they might have been with more time, but enough was proven to cast suspicion over the entire management.

The Warden's testimony has been very damaging to himself, as well as to the commissioners. His ignorance of everything around the institution will hardly be esteemed an official virtue by the committee. Since the investigation closed, several of the employes who testified to the truth have been dismissed from the institution. This looks bad, and will certainly not aid the management with the committee.

The testimony of Mr. Edwards about drawing $25,000 from the State in August last, and which was not credited to the institution until sometime in November, is inexplicable, except it be in his further testimony that the Carlinville National Bank started about that time, in which he is a stockholder. The public anxiously await the result of the investigation.

SALT LAKE, March 8.—Capt. John Cunningham, the father-in-law of United States Senator Logan, died this morning at Prava, of appoplexy. He was nearly 80 years of age, born in Illinois, and served with distinction in the Mexican war.

WHILE it is true that the farmers of the country suffer most from the extortions of transportation monopolies, it is equally true that every other productive industry, every trade and profession pays to these monopolies an exhaustive tribute. Unjust discriminations in freight charges fall upon all shippers and all producers. They oppress individuals and communities. The merchants and the manufacturers alike feel the necessity for restriction and reform, and they are watching the initiatory movement on the part of the farmers with mingled anxiety and hope. They should be enlisted in this war. The workingmen's unions should form another element in the contest. We should rejoice to see organization among merchants and dealers of all descriptions for securing the grand result. There is sufficient material from which to form a resistless army, to force, by legal means, a just regulation of this transportation business. It will take time to organize the entire force, and, while it is the particular business of the farmers to get themselves in battle array, they should encourage in every possible way the hearty co-operation of all classes of men.—*Prairie Farmer.*

A VALLEJO (Cal.) young lady, about to go off in the cars, stepped into the dark sitting room of the depot to kiss her friend Sarah good-by. Owing to the darkness she didn't hit Sarah, but caromed on a Chinaman, and didn't find out the mistake until John began yelling, "Whatee for you so chokee me? Hi yah! No mun, no fun! No squeezee so muchee!" One yell, a flopping of feminine garments, a slammed door and that girl was gone.

THE following record of female avocations in the United States is taken from the recent census returns: Independent of women farmers there are 45 female stock herders, 6 apprentices to barbers, 24 dentists, 2 hostlers, 2 professional hunters and trappers, 5 lawyers, 525 physicians and surgeons, 67 clergymen, 2 scavengers, 7 sextons, 10 'canal men,' 196 "draymen," 1 pilot, 6 guano laborers, 4 gas-stokers, 33 gunsmiths, 7 gunpowder makers, and 16 ship-riggers.

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March 3, 1873.

New Advertisements.

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10,000 GIFTS amounting to a vast total of Half a Million Dollars, all cash, will be given by lot, under authority of special legislative act, to patrons of the Third Grand Gift Concert for the benefit of the Public Library of Ky., in Library Hall, at Louisville, Ky., on Tuesday, April 8, 1873. Highest gift, $100,000; lowest, $10. Only 100,000 tickets of admission, and large sales already. ORDER QUICK if you would be in time. Whole tickets $10, halves, $5, quarters $2.50.

As the time for the Concert is close at hand (April 8th,) parties wanting tickets should send in their orders *immediately* if they would avoid the rush and delay absolutely unavoidable in the few days preceding the Drawing. All orders and applications for agencies, circulars and information will meet with prompt attention.

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Examination of Teachers.

EXAMINATIONS will be held at the High School in Decatur, on the 19th, 20th and 21st of March, and at the office on the 26th, 27th and 28th of March, and the 2nd 3rd and 4th of April.

By being present at the beginning, at 9 a. m., candidates can complete the work in one day. OSCAR F. MCKIM, Co. Sup't of Schools.

March 3, 1873-d2t,w3t.

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febi8-d3m] A. S. CORSON.

To James House or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Three acres off east side of the south half of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 32, township 17, north, range 3 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. H. ALEXANDER.

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To Daniel Stickle or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, Matthew Hughes purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot 1, west half, southeast quarter, section 33, township 16, range 3 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

feb6-w3t] JOHN N. BILLS, Assignee.

To B. F. Baughman or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, Matthew Hughes purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The north end, east ½ southwest quarter, southeast quarter of section 22, township 16, range 3, east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

JOHN N. BILLS, Assignee.

February 8-w3t.

"A Repository of Fashion, Pleasure, and Instruction."

Harper's Bazar

Notices of the Press:

The *Bazar* is edited with a contribution of tact and talent that we seldom find in any journal; and the journal itself is the organ of the great world of fashion.—*Boston Traveller.*

The *Bazar* commends itself to every member of the household—to the children by droll and pretty pictures, to the young ladies by its fashion-plates in endless variety, to the provident matron by its patterns for the children's clothes, to *paterfamilias* by its tasteful designs for embroidered slippers and luxurious dressing gowns. But the leading matter of the *Bazar* is uniformly of great excellence. The paper has acquired a wide popularity for the fireside enjoyment it affords.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871 tf.

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New Bakery!

S. O. BOWER

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity that he has purchased the

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On Water Street, formerly owned by C. H. Barrel.

He will make it his business to put this establishment in the most attractive shape and keep constantly the best of Confectionery, Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes,

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January 17, 1873—dtf.

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Those who think of purchasing an instrument of this kind should not fail to look at the Burdett before they make a final choice.

CALL ON

GEO. F. HARGIS,

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Who is agent for the sale of the Burdett in Decatur and vicinity.

Jan. 21, 1873-dtf.

Wanted---Money!

$3,000 Wanted,

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No real estate agent need apply.

Address,
DECATUR REPUBLICAN OFFICE.

February 10-d1w.*

To Wm. L. Hammer or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: South half, lot 8, of cut lots in Western addition to the city of Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

feb10 d3w] PHILO FORD.

Dissolution Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of Rothrock & Bayless, Macon, Ill., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The book set the firm remain with John Bayless, who will pay all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to it.

N. ROTHROCK,
JOHN BAYLESS.

MACON, ILL., February 18, 1873.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Rothrock & Bayless will please call and settle with the undersigned immediately, and thereby save costs. JOHN BAYLESS

February 18, 1873—t2w.

Administratrix Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Hiram Hollinger, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

CATHARINE HOLLINGER,
Jan16-w6t] Administratrix.

To R. H. Wheeler or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sal of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: West side lot 7, southeast quarter, southeast quarter, section 16, township 16, range 2 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. P. MCCLELLAN, Assignee.

February 10 1873—d 4.

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May 21, 1872—d-3m

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To H. P. CHRISTIE, Agent, Decatur:

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, March term A. D. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a bill is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, in the chancery side thereof, wherein Samuel McRoberts is plaintiff, and Anson H. Vance, Elizabeth Vance, Lewis Maddox, Thomas Maddox and William B. Maddox, styled Maddox Brothers, Barrow Burton, Joseph Burton and Noah B. Benting, styled Bentlinger, Burton & Co., James P. Wolf and Jacob S. Wolf, styled Wolf & Bro., Isaiah A. Young and David Milner, styled Young & Milner, George W. Lackey, Julius Felbel, Lane Montgomery, John F. Montgomery, James A. Lads, Daniel R. Brant and John W. Bolley are defendants, that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House at Decatur, in said county of Macon, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873.

Requiring said defendant to appear and file his answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause on the same will be taken as confessed, and said cause will be proceeded in and decided upon by said Court, to be held at said term, according to the law and the rules of said Court, to all and singular which said defendant is required to answer.

WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

January 6, 1873 d1w

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STATE OF ILLINOIS,
MACON COUNTY,

the 3d day of March,
A. D. 1873,

ook Free. Containing ...
H. Metzer, Hanover, Pa.

DRY GOODS.

HAYS & BRUCE

Are To-day receiving a large lot of

BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS,

TICKS, DENIMS, &C.

Also, three cases new style Prints.

All at our usual Low Prices.

Great Bargains offered in Jeans, Flannels, Waterproofs, &c., &c.

A few sets Mink Furs left, that we will sell at Half Price.

February 10, 1873—d-tf.

THE HOLIDAYS ARE OVER!

—BUT—

A. RUTH

Has still on hand a very large stock of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

Comprising all kinds of Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Poetry, History, Biography and Fiction.

A FULL LINE OF

Blank Books, Stationery,

Pens, Ink, Envelopes, Etc.

Also, a complete stock of Fancy Goods, Albums, Chromos, Engravings, Picture Frames, etc., etc.

PRICES AS LOW AS THE LOWEST.

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NO. 7 EAST MAIN STREET.

January 2-daw-tf]

BOOTS AND SHOES!

MADE TO ORDER,

And Repairing Promptly Done,

—BY—

R. H. CARTER

AT V. BARBER & CO'S,

No. 10 East Main-st.

November 23, d-3m.

New Hardware Store.

SAGE & SON

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that they have opened at the

Cor. Prairie and Merchant Sts.,

(next door to Chenoweth's Drug Store)

A FULL LINE OF

Tinware, Stoves, House Furnishing Goods, Etc., Etc.

Among the leading Stoves on sale, are the

ARLINGTON

COOK STOVE, and the

DUBUQUE

SOFT COAL BASE BURNER.

These stoves are among the best offered in the market. We ask the public to call and examine our goods. Our prices are as low as the lowest.

We have several as good workmen in tin, copper and sheet-iron, as can be found any where consequently

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of all kinds will be done and satisfaction guaranteed
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Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Stephen Shipman, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.
ELLEN SHIPMAN,
L. D. ALLAN,
Administrators.
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F. W. NIEDERMEYER,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries, Provisions!

Queensware, and Feed.

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STORE:—Corner North Monroe and West Eldorado streets, west of the Mound, Decatur, Ill. [nov22-daw,ly.

BRONZE LAMPS,

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GLASS LAMPS!

The Perkins & House,

The American Safety,

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DR PARKER'S

Non-Explodable Lamps

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Lanterns,

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Chandeliers,

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AS USUAL,

A FULL STOCK OF

QUEENWSARE!

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AND FANCY GOODS,

—AT—

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S

Decatur, January 1, 1873—dtf.

TEXAS LANDS!

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE three hundred acres of splendid unimproved land, situated near the city of Waco, Texas. Lands under cultivation in the same vicinity produce forty bushels of wheat per acre. The climate is the finest in the world, and is unsurpassed for health. For information apply to the undersigned, or at the REPUBLICAN office.
R. N. MILLS,
January 6, 1873-d3m] Decatur, Ill

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, March 10.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The wild geese are flying north.

...Runaway on West Main street yesterday. No one seriously injured.

...Do not forget that the renowned Georgia Minstrels appear at the Opera House to-night.

...The trial of H. L. Seymour, charged with embezzlement, has been set for Friday next, in the Circuit Court.

...At a meeting of the Decatur Township Farmers' Association, Saturday, F. N. Ewing was elected President, vice Leander Bates, who has moved to Iowa.

...The dress worn by Mrs. Scott Siddons at her reading, Friday evening, was the subject of comment from many of the ladies present. It is said to have cost between $2,000 and $3,000.

...H. A. Zekind, of the New York store, leaves for Decatur, Indiana, to-day, where he has accepted a position in a large clothing house.

...A correspondent of the St. Louis *Democrat* at Jacksonville, says a physician of that city has learned by actual and repeated experiments, that electricity, properly applied, will effect a cure in all cases of *cerebro spinal meningitis.*

O'Connor.—The jury in the case of Mrs. O'Connor vs. T., W. & W. R. R., rendered their verdict this morning. They gave Mrs. O'Connor a judgment for $5,000. Messrs. Park, Lee, Crea and Ewing appeared for the plaintiff and Nelson & Roby for the defendant.

Marriage licenses returned since our last report:

Frank Herkend and Mary Schwab.

Allen J. Winchester and Helen K. Hobbs.

James A. Bullard and Caroline Dunham.

Isaac Andrews and Susan J. Preston.

John D. McFadden and Mary E. Fuller.

Harmen A. Hulsebus and Ellen Nelson.

William W. Foose and Sarah E. Kites.

James K. P. Goodrich and Lorinda I. Patrick.

CITIZENS' MEETING.

Pursuant to the call published in the REPUBLICAN, of Friday and Saturday, a very respectable number of the citizens of Decatur Township were present at the court house Saturday evening.

The object of the meeting, as stated in the call, was "placing in nomination suitable persons for the offices of Supervisor and Assistant Supervisor."

The meeting was called to order by Isaac Shellabarger, Esq., and upon his motion Hon. S. F. Greer was appointed President and W. B. Chambers Secretary of the meeting.

The call as published, was read, and Isaac Shellabarger then stated that the present Supervisor and Assistant Supervisor were not in all respects acceptable to the people. He would nominate for Supervisor Mr. John R. Miller.

Alderman Hill thought a committee to suggest several names for the offices should be appointed.

Capt. Post then stated that he didn't exactly understand the object of the call; thought all who desired the office should place their names in the papers as candidates for such offices, and then go to work with their friends. He was in for a "fair field and a free fight," and concluded by stating that "he would meet them at Phillipi when our beards are partly grown."

J. R. Miller said that he didn't want the office, and also remarked that "the Captain had got a cuckle-bur under his tail at the wrong time."

R. T. Davis then explained the manner in which the calling of the meeting had occurred. There was no ring connected with the call; some of our best citizens had concluded that it was for the best interests of the township to place good men in the field.

The audience was then entertained by speeches from Alderman Hill, I. Shellabarger, Capt. Post, John Lindsay, and others.

R. T. Davis nominated E. A. Jones, and I. J. Halsted nominated Dr. B. A. Allison. Other gentlemen were nominated, but respectfully declined.

A motion was made and carried that the gentlemen receiving the highest number of votes should be declared the nominee for Supervisor, and the one receiving the next highest number, should be declared the nominee for Assistant Supervisor.

A ballot was taken, resulting as follows: J. R. Miller, 23; E. A. Jones, 17; Dr. B. A. Allison, 6.

J. R. Miller then stated that he would, under no consideration, become the nominee, and would not, if elected, serve in this capacity.

A motion was then made declaring E. A. Jones the unanimous nominee of the meeting, which was carried, when the meeting adjourned.

COME TO GRIEF.

All About McMurray the Forger

In the summer of 1871 there appeared in our little city a young gentleman of pleasing manners and courtly address, at that time calling himself Newton J. McMurray. He sported diamonds in profusion, was a liberal patron of the livery stables, had his fine looking countenance painted by our best artists, and to all appearances, was a gentleman of high talents, superior education, and plenty of money. According to his own story he was a gentlemen of leisure, being possessed of a plantation in Florida, where he spent his winters. He had many relatives at various points in this and adjoining States, and his visits to them were of frequent occurrence. While on a visit to Decorah, Iowa, he presented to the First National Bank a draft that he had raised from one to nine hundred dollars. This was accepted and the money paid. The fraud was soon discovered, and a detective was sent to St. Paul, Minnesota, where the forger was supposed to be holding forth, but McMurray was too sharp for him. A telegram was sent to the Chief of Police in Decatur to arrest the man calling for a valise at the Express office, addressed to N. J. McMurray. In the absence of Marshal Haworth, Deputy Marshal Moroney arrested McMurray; he was taken to the Priest House, and while there escaped from the custody of the officer.

From that time he has been in almost every State in the South and East. After his escape the President of the First National Bank in Decorah, Iowa, came to this point and placed the whole matter in the hands of Marshal Haworth, who worked up the case in a most elaborate manner. Through some means known to detectives, and a mystery to the uninitiated, he ascertained the points to which McMurray had ordered his letter sent. Photographs of the man were sent to the postmasters, in each case, with orders to arrest him as soon as he appeared. McMurray was not arrested through this plan of Marshal Haworth's, owing to his superior sharpness in never calling for his letters in person, and having them forwarded to other points.

His route after he left Decatur was as follows: From St. Louis he went to Cincinnati; from there to Washington City; then to New York; back to Richmond, Va.; then to New Orleans, La.; from there to Savannah, Ga.; then to Jackson, Miss.; and Vicksburg, Miss.; from there to Paducah, Ky.; back to Cincinnati, O.; up to Lancaster, O.; down to Indianapolis, Ind.; from there to Mattoon; back to Indianapolis, and in that locality he has remained ever since. At these places he assumed many names, some of which are as follows: R. B. Hall, H. McMurray, W. W. Weir, J. H. Jordon, Thomas Lewis, John Wallace, Justinian Walters, &c., &c. At Savannah, Ga., he met Capt. Joab Wilkinson, who was at that time an inspector in the custom house at that point. He remembered having seen Joab in Decatur, and renewed his acquaintance, and induced him to go to a bank and vouch for his identity as —— Harlan, where he succeeded in obtaining $500 on a raised draft.—When Capt. Wilkinson returned to this point, upon being shown a photograph of McMurray he identified him as being the man —— Harlan.

During all this time, however, Marshal Haworth kept track of him, and heard of his operations at various points. A few days since he received information from one of his correspondents that a man answering the description of McMurray was in Anderson, Indiana. A photograph was sent, and the correspondent's supposition proved to be correct. Notifying the Marshal of the fact, the latter at once went to Anderson, and for the first time in eighteen months had the pleasure of seeing the man he had been hunting during all that time. He was sailing under another *alias* here, as will be seen from the following statement from the Anderson *Herald* of last week;

"A man by the name of Justinian Walters has been arrested and is now in our county jail on three charges—burglary, grand larceny and arson. He is supposed to be the principal in the robbery and the burning of the Bee Line Passenger Depot. Walters was detected at Crestline trying to sell a ticket from Anderson to Boston.—Not being able to account satisfactorily for the ticket, the Crestline agent had him arrested, and notified the railroad authorities.

"He was brought to Anderson on Monday evening on requisition of Gov. Hendricks upon the Governor of Ohio, had a preliminary examination before Mayor Roach on Tuesday, and was committed upon the three charges above named.

"The ticket which Walters was trying to sell had the Anderson office stamp upon it. A valise supposed to belong to him, was found upon examination to contain about $7,000 worth of tickets that also belonged to the Anderson office.—While the evidence against Walters is strongly circumstantial, we understand that nothing positive was proven against him."

Marshal Haworth had a long talk with McMurray, in which he denied having any connection with the crime for which he is now under arrest, but gave him some interesting details concerning his travels since leaving Decatur.

It will be remembered that at the time of his escape it was charged and believed by many persons, that his release was effected through the connivance of the officer having him in custody, and charges were preferred against Moroney and he was dismissed from the police force, but was reinstated again a year ago. What effect the present statements of McMurray may have upon the public mind we know not, but he now solemnly declares that he did buy his freedom from the officer mentioned, and paid him a large sum to induce him to allow him to escape.

Let it be known that Geo. F. Wessels has on hand a splendid stock of boots and shoes, which he will dispose of at the lowest cash figures. His new stock is large and well selected. Call on him.

Sinful Siftings.—Michael Roney, Wm. Kinder and Chas. Bassett, were each fined $3 and costs by Justice Albert, for an assault upon Christian E. Grahmer.

Thos. Flinn, the gentleman who killed his dogs by beating out their brains on the sidewalk, was brought before Justice Baker, by Deputy Marshal Adderley, and fined $8 and costs, amounting in all to $10.75. Not very profitable business.

Wm. Brewer was fined $3 and costs by Justice Baker, for an assault.

Thos. Smith was fined $3 and costs, for a drunk.

Lewis Morris, a youth of 16, attempted to steal some liquor, Saturday evening, from Dodson's show window, by breaking the glass, but was caught before he had succeeded in obtaining the same. He was taken before Justice Baker and fined $8.50. He now languisheth in the calaboose.

Lecture.—We are glad to announce that Rev. Walk, of Memphis, Tenn., will lecture at the Opera House in this city next Tuesday evening. Rev. Walk is one of the most accomplished and influential of the Christian clergy, and we feel confident that he will have a full house. The subject of his lecture will be "Spurgeon," the greatest of living preachers. Mr. Walk, while on his late visit to Europe, spent much time in learning the peculiar characteristics of this great preacher.

Admission, 25 cents. [m7-td

Tickets for sale at the bookstores.

For Rent.—A two-story brick dwelling house, on the west side of College square. Enquire at Mrs. E. J. Ferry's ladies' shoe store, Opera Block. [m6 tf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, Mar. 8, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30@1.40
" White "	1.30@1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.50
" red " "	5.00
" superfine, "	5.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	.60
RYE—₩ bushel	.50
CORN—₩ bushel	22
" shelled, per bush	23
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton,	8,00@10,00
OATS—₩ bushel,	21@23
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1.85
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₩ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—₩ lb	20
EGGS—per doz,	15
LARD—₩ lb	06½
BACON—Sides,	10.
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.15
SHOULDERS—per lb	.07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	4.00
CATTLE— " " "	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " " sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	60.
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	6½
APPLES— " "	4@5
" Green ₩ bus	.45@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@44
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	50@60
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" " and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	6½@.07
" Salted cured,	9@.9½
" Calf,	.10@11
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.10
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	30@75
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₩ lb	.25@.40

APRIL ELECTION.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

WE are authorized to announce N. S. RICHMOND as a candidate for Justice of the Peace.

ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. J. SMITH as a candidate for re-election to the office of Assessor.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB H. MILLER as a candidate for Assessor, at the April election.

COLLECTOR

THANKFUL for past favors, I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector, at the coming April election. H. H. BROWN.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB I. BEAR as a candidate for Township Collector, at the April election.

SUPERVISOR.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY HUMMELL as a candidate for Supervisor, at the April election.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB SPANGLER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor, in the coming April election.

Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Jesse Lane, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 21st day of April, A. D., 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment. JOHN L. LANE,
feb13-w6t] Administrator.

To Isaac McLaughlin or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. H. Mauzy purchased the following described tracts of land, to-wit:—Two acres off the east side, northeast quarter southeast quarter of section 17, township 17, range 4 east; also, the southwest quarter, northeast quarter, southeast quarter, section 17, township 17, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.
JOHN N. BILLS, Assignee.
February 6-w3t.

To Henry Delbridge or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: North half of the north half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, section 30, township 16, range 2 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.
feb6-w3t. JOHN N. BILLS

Come and See Me!

IF YOU WANT THE

Best Bread in Town,

Fresh Pies and Cakes,

Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,

Oysters in Every Style,

Or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.

South Main Street,

Two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf.

DRY GOODS.

GREAT REDUCTION

In all Descriptions of

Winter Goods!

—AT—

LINN & SCRUGGS'

SPECIALTIES:

Millien's Black Silk Velvets,

Bonnet's, Ponson's and Guinet's Black Silks,

The "Peerless" Black Alpaca,

The Genuine Alexandre Kid Gloves,

and the Old Dominion Buck Gloves,

LINN & SCRUGGS.

January 2, 1873-dawtf.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

—AT THE—

City Book Store!

17 East Main Street, Decatur.

A full and complete stock of Blank Books, Writing Paper, Envelopes, Ink, Ink Stands, Pens, Holders, Pencils, and every other article in the Stationery line.

Our stock of Miscellaneous Books, such as new works of Fiction, Standard Poets, History, Juvenile Books, &c., is unusually full and complete.

Now, that the Holidays are over, our entire attention will be devoted to our stock of Staple Goods which will always be kept full, to meet the demands of the trade.

Our CIRCULATING Library

furnishes a supply of cheap reading, and is constantly receiving additions of new books. Open every day during business hours.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON.

January 16, 1872—daw-tf.

Chancery Notice.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein George Stewart is complainant, and Edward Young, Augustus Harpstrite, and unknown heirs-at-law of Susan Young, deceased, are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the March term of said Court, to be holden in the Court-house at Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be heard *ex parte.*
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Compl't.
January 20, 1873—d4w.

Pianos! Pianos!!

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Musical Merchandise!

Musical Merchandise!

WE make the WORLD-RENOWNED

ESTY ORGANS

A SPECIALTY,

Which for durability, power and sweetness of tone, CANNOT be equaled. These Organs have been sold not by extensive advertisements and puffing, but by the real merits of the Instruments themselves. Wherever they have been introduced they have won their way into the admiration and confidence of the people; and this is not mere chance, but comes as the inevitable consequence of skill, high attainment and unremitting application and labor.

From the first the manufacturers have employed the finest mechanicians and inventors of the age. The leading improvements now in vogue in "Reed Organs," were perfected and brought and in the establishment of J. Esty & Co. Their instruments now stand

UNRIVALED

By anything found in this country or Europe.

We would invite the attention of purchasers to those superb instruments, whose superiority over all others is acknowledged by the best musical talent the country affords.

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Payments for Instruments taken in monthly or quarterly installments.

OLD INSTRUMENTS taken in exchange for new.

Special inducements offered to cash purchasers.

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CALL AT

—THE—

"Steinway Agency!"

And examine goods, prices &c.

FISH & FOSTER!

January 23, 1873—dtf.

MILWAUKEE

MARKET ASSOCIATION

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Grand Presentation Concert!

—o—

Dollars. **40,000** Dollars.

IN CASH PRESENTS.

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50,000 Tickets, at $2 Each.

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THE MANAGEMENT of the Grand Concert beg leave to announce that unavoidable circumstances have made it necessary to postpone the same; however, they are pleased to state that the success of the enterprise has been BRILLIANT and DECIDED, and that the same is now upon a FIRM and SOLID financial basis. It will take place on

Tuesday, March 25th,

AT THE

Academy of Music, Milwaukee,

Commencing at 10 a. m.

All agents are peremptorily required to close their sales and to send in their reports on the 10th of March, 1873. As but FEW TICKETS remain UNSOLD, parties wishing for them will please order immediately.

1 Grand Cash Present, $20,000
1 " " " 5,000

1471 Presents, am't'g to $40,000 Cash.

The drawing will be conducted on the stage of the Academy of Music, in full view of the audience, under the personal supervision of the following well known and disinterested gentlemen, who have kindly consented to act as a

DRAWING COMMITTEE,

and who will make it their duty to carefully guard the interest of every ticket-holder near and far: James B Kellogg, Esq, of Kellogg & Hathaway, Insurance Agents; H M Mendel, Esq, President Milwaukee Musical Society; Hon Moritz Schoeffler, Proprietor "Banner und Volksfreund;" Matthew Keenan, Secretary Milwaukee Board of Water Commissioners; Jos H Cordes, Esq, Wholesale Grocer; Ad Meinecke, Esq, Proprietor Meinecke's Willow-ware Works.

Officers & Directors of the Association.

OFFICERS—L A Schmidtner, President; P V Deuster, Vice President; F W Jacobi, Secretary; W H Jacobs, Treasurer.

DIRECTORS—G C Trumpff, President South Side Bank; August Greulich, Wholesale Liquor Dealer; L A Schmidtner, Milwaukee Court House Architect; F Rietbrock, Attorney-at-law; F W Jacobi, General Insurance Agent; Ludwig Vogel, Carpenter and Builder; Otto Zwietusch, Proprietor Soda Water Factory; A F Wallschlaeger, Hardware Merchant; Jacob Blum, contractor Milwaukee Court-house; Ed Aschermann, Wholesale Tobacconist; P V Deuster, Proprietor Milwaukee "See Bote;" J P Kissinger, Wholesale Liquor Merchant; F W Hundhausen, ex-Milwaukee City Treasurer; J E Mann, Attorney-at-law; Lewis Rindskopf, Alderman, Milwaukee; Hermann Zohrlaut, Proprietor Tannery; S T Hooker, Commission Merchant; Sam Rindskopf, Wholesale Liquor Merchant.

Circulars containing full particulars sent on application free of charge.

Money should be sent in registered letter, Post-office order, or by express.

PAUL BECHTNER, Gen. Manager,
100 East Water Street, Milwaukee, to whom all communications should be addressed.

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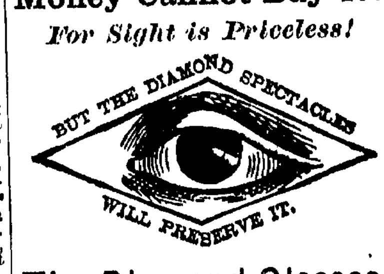

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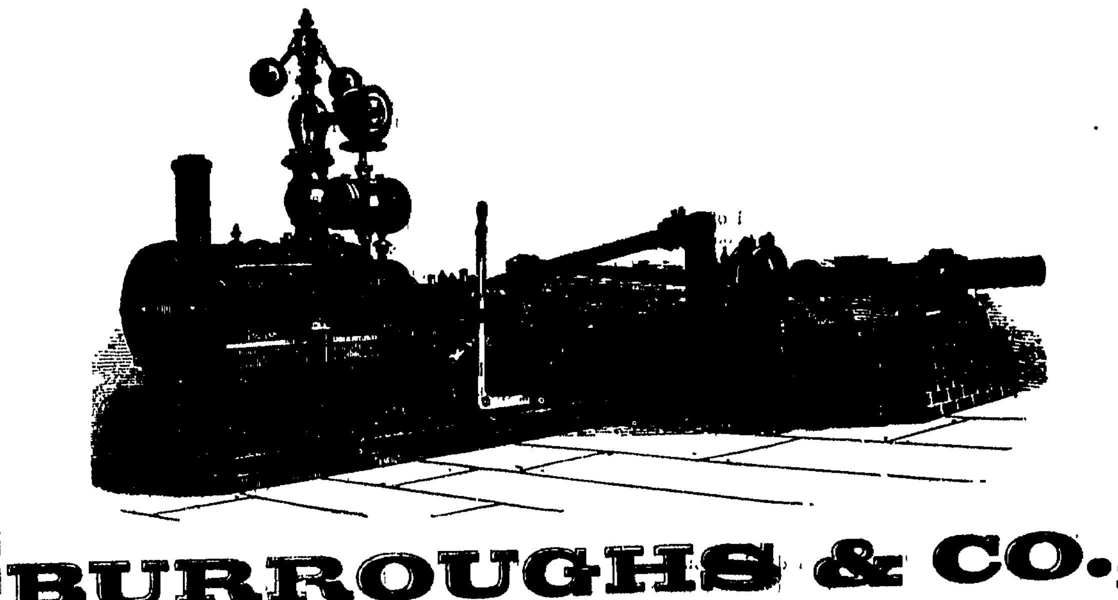

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